

Friendly Regard

is never entertained by the children for a medicine that tastes bad. This explains the popularity among

little ones of

Scott's Emulsion.

a preparation of cod-liver oil almost as palatable as milk. Many mothers have grateful knowledge of its benefits to weak, sickly children.

MAY BE A SPECTATOR.

The Revenue Cutter Grant Possibly Booked for Brazil.

The recent departure of the revenue steamer Grant from New York, ostensibly for service on the North Pacific coast, has more significance than was at first supposed.

additions to her battery were made, including modern rapid-fire guns, which work, is said, was done under the supervision of a high official of the Treasury Department. The belief is strong that the recent appeal of Capt. Pickens, commanding the United States forces at Rio de Janeiro, for additional United States vessels in Brazilian waters has had something to do with the fitting out.

templates a visit to the port of Rio. At any rate, the Grant will probably fall in with the Brazilian cruisers *Niteroy* and *America*.

may be a neutral spectator of their meeting with Admiral Mello's fleet in the open ocean to the north of the capital of Brazil.

On her voyage round the Horn the Grant will undoubtedly touch at Rio, and will certainly be utilized by Capt. Pickens in case her services are required in the interests of American citizens at that place. It will be an easy matter to send orders to her com-

capt. Picking for duty. It is a common thing for revenue vessels to render naval service, and there would be nothing remarkable in it if the Grant were detained at Rio

The Bering sea fleet of the last season included two revenue cutters. It was in command of a naval officer. The crew of the Grant has been increased and she is today in a more efficient condition than ever before.

Officers in the revenue marine are pointing to the fact that during the threatened Chilean trouble the Navy Department made haste to draw up rapid-fire battery designs for the revenue cutters Rush and Corwin.

especially for night-draught gunboat work in Chilean waters in conjunction with the deep-draught warships of the navy. For gunboat work the Grant is said to be far

Corwin.

SINGLE TAX CONGRESSMEN.

Henry George Said to Be Gaining Many Recruits.

how strong a foothold the single tax theory of Henry George has got in Congress. The public will probably be greatly astonished to discover how many of our legislators have become attached to this theory. It is estimated that there are between forty and fifty men in Congress who are admirers of Henry George, and believe in a single tax, and it is evident that the faith is spreading. But a short time ago a Congressman who confessed to this belief would have been re-

men in the House and two or three in the Senate are professed and earnest advocates of Georgelism, and the apostles of the faith.

are working eagerly when the idea that a bill will not be long before they will be a reality in national politics. Some ingenious work was done by them prior to the last election in sending out documents practically under the cover of the democratic committee. Nearly 2,000,000 copies of George's work on "Protection or Free Trade" was sent out by the committee, and in connection with this, individual copies of the steel tax, the

George which the recipients, as a rule, probably accepted as regular committee literature. A great quantity of this literature

pers, and many members who have not heretofore advocated single tax have been brought to think favorably of it by many requests from their district for literature on the subject, the appetite having been cultivated insidiously by the single tax men in the party. A number of men in Congress, who have never made any public profession and that are still timid, are privately advocates of this policy. The most earnest single tax men in the House are Tom Johnson and

seeking to proselyte their associates and throwing out literature to catch the masses in the back counties.

In the case of W. J. Jackson et al. agt. George E. Lemon, to set aside deed for certain property, the latter has filed, by Messrs. Shellenbarger & Wilson,

ing the agreement as set out, and his willingness to comply as soon as the complainants give him a perfect title.

The will of the late Alfred D. McInturf, filed today, leaves his estate to his wife, Matilda, to be held in trust for his children.

Army Orders.
Capt. John Pitman, ordnance department, will proceed to the works of E. I. Du Pont

business pertaining to the inspection of small arms' powder for the ordnance department.

very, now stationed in New York City, on duty pertaining to the world's Columbian exposition, will change station to Fort Columbus, New York.

infantry, will report to the superintendent of the recruiting service, New York city, to conduct recruits to the department of Texas.

A system inaugurated by the War Department within the past few years will

happy one, to four enlisted men of the army under confinement in military prisons. Gen. L. A. Grant, the assistant secretary of war, is the father of the idea, which is in effect that the four military convicts who have the best prison records for uniform good

Christmas day, making eight pardons each year. The men who will be released on next Christmas are George Brunn, late private

private, troop H, first cavalry, and Wm. H. Steele, late private, company C, eleventh infantry, all at the Leavenworth military prison, Kansas, and Frank Penick, late private, company H, eleventh infantry, confined on Alcatraz Island, California.

"Judge," remarked Mr. Thomas Gannon, a white man, to Judge Kimball this morning, "if I had worn a silk hat and retort,

The officer, however, explained that it was not the want of such apparel that caused Mr. Gannon's arrest. On the contrary, he stated that the man had been locked up be-

in exploring the alleys in the northeast and in investigating the condition of the back gates.

thought a retirement from public life for thirty days on the part of the defendant was desirable, and Mr. Gannon stepped down, deeply regretting that he had not